

6000 BC

neolithic period began

6000 BC - 8000 yrs ago

Found in Colorado mountain cave a 35/40 yr old man died 8,000 yrs ago. They are among oldest bones found in North America (Radio Carbon) (The Austrian Alp man 5,300 yrs ago 3,300 BC). Cave more than 10,000 feet above sea level. Patty Jo Watson, archaeologist discovered in 1988 - Skull cap, several arm & leg bones, a few ribs & vertebrae, pelvis

fragments, four finger bones & 11 teeth.

6070BC

CATAL NÜYÜK
level VI 5970BC

6000 BC \Rightarrow 3500 BC

NEOLITHIC PERIOD
East mediterranean

6000BC

1912 Dates' J-BK

In the temple of NIPPUR tablets were discovered which are believed to have been written 6000BC

They are in the Chaldean language - measure 9 in by 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. They are hymns and invocations used in worship in the temple.

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In America in 6000BC, some seed gatherers somewhere began to interfere successfully in the planting, germination, and fruition of wild plants.

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Farming in Macedonia,
pottery plentiful

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Jericho settled

By 7000BC Agriculture was well established in at least 3 Near Eastern regions: Jordan, Iran, and Anatolia (Turkey)

8000 years ago (6000 BC)

On the edge of the Mesopotamian plain, some gardeners enlarged their cultivated areas by spreading river water through man-made irrigation ditches. Early cultivation was generally tranquil: women gardened lazily with hoes, while men amused themselves with fishing, hunting, taming animals, and trading. From about 8000 years ago (6000 BC) years ago onward, occasional fights or wars led to the destruction

of settlements in southwestern Asia. Some towns were fortified, but warfare was nothing like the habit that it later became.

8000 yrs ago (6000 BC)

Gardens along with them cattle
reached the Indus Valley 8,000 yrs
ago (6000 BC)

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World population = 5 million

6000 BC } to present Depends on
4000 BC } place
NEOLITHIC (New Stone Age)

Period of Early farming
all tools were still made of
stone.

Revolutionary because people
produced food not just to
eat but to trade.

Created the wheel (potter's wheel?)
metalworking